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Atsushi MIYAZAKI et al.

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SOFT Cr-CONTAINING STEEL

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Examiner Deborah Yee

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 9, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed September 25,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.